

**Claims**

1. - 16. (Cancelled)

17. (Currently Amended) A fire extinguishing apparatus comprising a cylindrical body for storing fire-extinguishing material, a handle and a pin, the cylindrical body having a plurality of LEDs located and extending in a line around the base thereof to provide a constant indication, for a pre-determined period of time, as to the location of the apparatus.

~~Apparatus for retaining a fire extinguisher the apparatus having a surface not obstructed by the fire extinguisher located on the apparatus in use, the surface having at least one Indicating device mounted thereon to provide a clear indication as to the location of the apparatus.~~

18. (Cancelled)

19. (Cancelled)

20. (Cancelled)

21. (Currently Amended) The fire extinguishing apparatus according to claim 17 20,  
wherein ~~the or~~ each LED provides a color ~~colour~~ that is indicative of ~~corresponds with~~ a  
representative color ~~colour~~ of the material ~~contained~~ within the fire extinguisher.

22. (Cancelled)

23. (Currently Amended) The apparatus according to claim 17 20, wherein the or at least  
~~one LED~~ LEDs are mounted on a strip.

24. (Currently Amended) The apparatus according to claim 17 23, wherein the LEDs are powered by a battery which is synchronized to the service period of the apparatus such that a powerless LED indicates that the fire extinguishing apparatus is due for a service  
~~the strip includes means to power the or each LED.~~
25. (Cancelled)
26. (Cancelled)
27. (Cancelled)
28. (Cancelled)
29. (Cancelled)
30. (Cancelled)
31. (Cancelled)
32. (Cancelled)
33. (Cancelled)
34. (Cancelled)
35. (Currently Amended) The apparatus according to claim 17, wherein a further LED is mounted on either side of the pin ~~the or one indicating device is mounted on, or h the immediate vicinity of, the pin.~~

36. (Cancelled)

37. (Cancelled)

38. (New) A base mount for a fire extinguishing apparatus, the mount having a plurality of LEDs located and extending in a line around the base to provide a constant indication as to the location of the fire extinguishing apparatus when mounted on the base.